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Part B for March 34

SUBJECT

Dewans tour in Shimoga District

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Dewans tour in Shimoga &c

General and Revenue Secretariat — File No 298 of 1933 — [App F III—2

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1	From the Private Secy to Dewan no 2133 dy 2 2 34 Forwards extract from the address proposed to be presented by the Sagar municipal to the Dewan on his forthcoming tour in the Shimoga Dt & calls for necessary notes on each of the subjects referred to therein. Immediate (Sd) H V R "LSG and Edn" Please send extract of edl matters to the Education Branch and put up note regarding LSG subjects (Sd) A S R 3/2/34 Subd Extract of edl subjects was sent to the Edn Br The subjects relating to the LSG Br are the following - (1) Grant of further forest agency for constructing the Southern wing of the Town Hall at Sagar - and that the supervision charges of 10½% amounting to Rs 1848/- which they have already paid be waived and the same considered a portion of their share of the further cost - (2) Praying for a grant to the Drainage Scheme of the town

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Dewans town in Shimoga Dt-

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The manegerially noted files relating to the Consltruction of the Town Hall are put up from which it will be seen that a modified estimate for Rs 17300/- for the work was sanctioned in Jany '32, the cost being met in equal proportions by Govt and the ml Council, that the ml cl has paid up its quota in full and that the building was completed and handed over to the ml cl in April 1933. The ml cl having already paid up its quota in full it is perhaps inexpedient to ~~reopen~~ consider the question of waiving the supervision charges on the estimate As regards ~~Govt contribution for~~ the extension of the building, no proposals are pending here and the question of a Govt grant for this may perhaps be considered when concrete proposals are sent in this behalf

II As regards the Drainage Scheme, a search of the file headings relating to the ml Section does not reveal that any proposals were sent here on the subject. Re Drainage

The Dr of Health & DC Shimoga may perhaps be addd demi officially as to what the position is in this matter

MB 5/28/34

GK 5-2-34

Gen'l Secy)

nil 62-27-1-4
" 71-30-1-2
" 30-31-1-6

The Cabinet Memo - Rs 17600

GENERAL BRANCH 6 FEB. 1934 No. 1064

Yes urgently

GTM 6.2.34

Please consult Dy a note 6.2.34

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Dewan's visit to Sagar

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	Draft subd, Please issue ans Govt's sign[illegible] MB 6/2/34 — MBK 6 2 34
2	To the Director of Health & Dc Shimoga Dt- Dc no L 5992-3 Dt 6 2 34 - Enquires what the proposal referred to by the Mme Cl is & where it is pending
3	From the Dc Shimoga Dt- no Ag C 743-52/33-4 Dt 10 2 34 furnishes the info available
	From the Dc's letter it is seen that no plans or estimates were ever prepared for the Drainage Scheme of Sagar & that Mr Marker was of opinion (in 1928) that "for some time to come, there is no necessity for any drainage Scheme for the town" & that the Mme Cl concurred in. This views Mr B R Gavudachar, the next Executive Sanry Engr who inspected the town in 1931 was also of opinion that the matter may be kept for some time. Subd, as there was little stagnation of storm water

Please refer LB 3[illegible]-27-4 before submn MBK

This is put up vide flag P MB

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MB 13/2 Ah

Govt Secy MBK

Note Appd — Please type es

14/2/34

Note typed & subd, for appt Govt 15/2 MB 15/2

Copy to be sent to the Private Secy to the Dewan

Govt Secy MBK 15/2/34

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Note forwarded here with as requested

Pl. Seen by the Dewan with thanks

19 FEB 1934

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MBr 19-2-34

Sd. for perusal

19/2/34

MBr 19-2-34

Subd for perusal

The file will, if appd, be now closed after sending to the Edn Br, the papers relating to that Br.

Fresh file may be opened & the questions worked up separately if any further reference need on any of the representations referred to in the address

MB 5/3/34 AH

Yes MBr 8/3

Edn Br / Dev Br } ask complts for kindly taking the papers relating to them

MBr 12/3 AH

Edn Br Papers (Edn Nh 253-35-7) taken

12/3

Devl Br W.C.

8/3/34

Dev Br = Harbours Letters CF (W 2969 & 5 & 6 - Pr WC) KB 133 MBr 8/3 34

12/3 34

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No 2133 Confe

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M T SINGARAVELU MUDALIAR, B A B L
Privat Secr tary

Bangalore,
2nd February 1934

Mr 298-33-1

GEN & REV DEPT
13 FEB 1934
L & G BRAN

Dear Mr Ramaswami

I am desired to send you the enclosed extract from the address proposed to be presented by the Sagar Municipal Council to the Dewan on his forthcoming tour in the Shimoga District and to request that the necessary notes on each of the subjects may kindly be got prepared and sent to me early for submission to the Dewan

GENERAL
3-FEB
No 3277

Yours sincerely
M Singaravelu
Private Secretary to Dewan

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L S & E Dept

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Please send
Extract & Memorandum
relating to the Sagar Br
as desired
in note relating
to subjects
for
Mr

4-15 P.M
Extract sent to
Sagar Br as desired
Subjects for
Mr

Received from the Dewan's
Office today
2/3/34
2/3/34

Extracts from the Address to be presented by the Town Municipal Council Sagar to the Dewan of Mysore

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During your last visit to this place Sir the increasing need for a Town Hall and habitation for our Council Office was brought to your kind notice We are glad to be able to say to-day that with your kind and warm support this long felt desire of ours has become a "Fait accompli" May we Sir in this connection beg of you to kindly grant us the further funds necessary for constructing the Southern wing of this Town Hall without which this building cannot be considered to be complete We shall of course bear our quota of the cost We only beg that the supervision charges of 10½% amounting to Rs 1 848/- which we have already paid be kindly waived as has been generously done by Government in many another part of the State and that that sum be considered a portion of our share of the further cost

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We may be permitted to state in this connection that the donation of the Citizens of Sagar and the expenditure incurred by the Municipal Council so far in connection with the maintenance of the High School reach a total of Rs 38 000/- While Government have granted Government High Schools to places like Davangere and Tiptur in return for a contribution of Rs 30 000/- and to Thirthahalli in return for a promise to pay Rs 20 000/- we have been asked to maintain this

High School under the Grant-in-aid rules This has meant a heavy burden on our resources as we have to spend on this Institution Rs 2 400/- every year on an average Though we have borne it ungrudgingly for the last 5 years we feel we cannot bear it any longer as we shall have to pay shortly 6¼% of our gross revenue to the District Board to meet the cost of Primary Education within Municipal Limits We therefore earnestly pray that Government may be pleased to convert this Institution which is serving the needs of 4 Malnad Taluks into a Government High School, Otherwise a large slice of what we have now been spending on roads and sanitation will have to be diverted to this purpose and we shall have to deny ourselves many Municipal necessities not to speak of the several amenities of Town Life

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(c) The foremost of our Town Improvements is a well planned Drainage Scheme This is awaiting Government sanction and help from the year 1923 when the request for help was first to made to Government May be respectfully reiterate our prayer in this behalf and hope that you will help us to realise this desire of ours by making a generous grant towards its cost

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(d) We now beg leave to refer to some of the Educational needs of this town The Girls School of this place is now located in a rented building It is now a privileged Primary School and as it is not a Middle School as many as 30 girls are now attending the Boys School We therefore request you to direct that it be raised to the status of a Middle School and the present Boys School building

which originally belonged to the Girls School be given back to it This building has now become too small to house our growing Boys-Middle School A new building with sufficient accommodation may kindly be directed to be built for this purpose

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SUBJECT

Section Rev

File No 298-33

Serial No 2

Diary No of letter replied to

No LS992-3 / Enclose

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Relating to the drainage ~~the~~ 193

marked "C" of Sagar town

Date of issue 6 2 34

Signed by Dr. L. S. Kadambi

Rem^r Subd,
MB
10/2/34

Dear Sir,

I am desired to forward herewith extract from the address proposed to be presented by the Sagar municipal council to the Dewan during his forthcoming tour in the Shimoga Dt and to request you to kindly state what the proposal referred to by the municipal council is & where it is pending, the favour of an immediate reply by is requested — Yours Sir

MSK

List of enclosures

Copied by

6/2/34

Examined by

To The Director of H
The D.C Shimoga

3 Copies each

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Dated Bangalore 6th February 1934

Dear Sir,

I am desired to forward herewith extract, relating to the drainage ~~xxxxxxxxx~~ of Sagar Town, from the address proposed to be presented by the Sagar Municipal Council, to the Dewan during his forthcoming tour in the Shimoga District and to request you to kindly state what the proposal referred to by the Municipal Council is and where it is pending The favour of immediate reply is requested

Yours sincerely,

(Draft)

To

Director of Health
DC Shimoga

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Extracts from the Address to be presented by the Town unicipal Council, Sagar, to the Dewan of Mysore

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The foremost of our Town Improvements is a well planned Drainage Scheme This is awaiting Government sanction and help from the year 1923, when the request for help was first to made to Government May We respectfully reiterate our prayer in this behalf, and hope that you will help us to realise this desire of ours, by making a generous grant towards its cost

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"Extract"

M S Krishnamachari

For General Secretary to Government

MJB

Immediate 3824

D O No Dy C 743-52 OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
3324 SHIMOGA DISTRICT

T V A ISVARAN

, Dated Shimoga February 10 193 4

GEN DEV SECTT
13 FEB 1934
L B G BRANCH
Mr 298-33-3

Dear Sir

With reference to your D O letter No L 5992-3 dated 6th February 1934 forwarding an extract relating to the drainage of Sagar Town from the address propose to be presented by the Sagar Municipal Council to the Dewan during his forthcoming tour in this district and asking for information on the drainage Scheme referred to therein I write to state that the following information is gathered from the previous papers available on the subject

When the then Dewan toured in this District during the month of January 1923 and visited Sagar on 21st January 1923, he was pleased to accept an address presented by the Municipal Council and in the course of the address the Municipal Council urged upon the attention

attention of the Dewan that a Drainage Scheme was one of the wants of the Sagar Town It would appear that the Dewan was pleased to say that the matter would be duly considered in consultation with the Head of the Department concerned

The General Secretary to Government forwarded with his letter No L 8962/L B 317-27-4 dated 21st June 1928 a copy of the notes of inspection by Mr H F Marker on Drainage and other matters of Town improvement and requested that necessary action may be taken on the several suggestions made therein

From the notes it is seen that Mr H F Marker observed as follows --

"Drainage - There being no regular water supply water used is not much and the soil being porous of laterite almost all the waste waters get readily absorbed in the soil and one does not find much sewage in the drains There are box drains

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of laterite stones without any floor They are alright for storm water but in those places where sewage also runs into them it is better to put surki mortar concrete inverts plastered with Cement in them so as to confine the flow of sewage in the invert only In many houses where there are backyards or compounds it is advisable to induce the people to use their waste water in their compound only for some fruit plants or a Vegetable Garden In this way much of the nuisance from the Sewage will be avoided On my inspection, I have not come across stagnant pools of sewage as was noticed by me in other places I feel for some time to come there is no necessity of any drainage scheme for the town If the Municipality desires anything to be done in this direction I would advise them to lay the main drains first and when they want to do that they may refer the matter to the Sanitary Department for an estimate plans etc '

Thereupon

Thereupon the Municipal Council resolved "No immediate necessity for drainage scheme at present Storm water is easily drained Regarding sewage water the cleaning of the existing drains and removing the accumulation of dirt in them is being done Idea of putting in concrete inwards in few of the main drains will be tried People are being advised to induce waste water to grow vegetables and plants

Mr B R Garudachar Executive Sanitary Engineer also inspected the town on 1st February 1931 and sent his Inspection Notes He observed in his Notes as follows --

"In one of the Inspection notes it was pointed out that very little water was flowing in the open earthen drains and that there is no need for a drainage Scheme Though this may be so now yet when a water supply Scheme is worked out drainage may

may become necessary However this can lie over for some time But in two or three places sullage water was let into the open drains and allowed to stagnate This has to be prevented The owners of the houses may be asked to utilise the water for raising a Garden within their own Compound or a cess pool constructed to deal with this water In any case the entry into open earthen drains should be stopped This was also pointed out to the President

Thus the matter has been allowed to rest there

Yours sincerely

H V Ramaswami Esq , M A B L
General Secretary to Government
BANGALORE

Telephone N 340
Tel g m HEALTH

Telegram ROCKFOUND

D O No C884-2
Encl

GRACE VILLE PALACE ROAD
Bangalore, (S India) dated February 13, 1934

Dear Mr Ramaswamy,

Your D O No L 5992-3, dated the 6th February 1934 forwarding therewith extract relating to the drainage of Sagar town referred to in the address proposed to be presented by the Sagar Municipal Council, to the Dewan during his ensuing tour in the Shimoga District etc

With reference to to the above, I wish to state that no project for Sagar Drainage has been prepared

During my visit to Shimoga District in May 1933 I suggested to the President of the Sagar Municipality to consider the question of proper drainage The present prayer in the address is perhaps based on this suggestion

About three years back a town planning survey of Sagar was made No estimates for any work except water supply have been prepared A water supply estimate costing about Rs. 10,000/- has been furnished to the Municipality.

Yours sincerely,

H.V Ramaswamy, Esq, M.A, B.L.,
General Secretary to the Government of
Mysore, Bangalore.

Dewan's reply to the Address presented to him by the Town Municipal Council of Sagar at the opening of the Town Hall at Sagar

27th February 1934

GENTLEMEN

I am very thankful to you for the cordial welcome which you have extended to me and for the appreciative terms in which you speak of my services in your behalf at the Round Table Conferences

I am delighted to be in your midst again It cheers my very heart to see all around me evidences of the progress you have been able to achieve during such a short space as the past five or six years I take such improvement to be the expression of a wise and vigorous civic consciousness

When I was here last you felt strongly the need for a High School You have not only been able to realise this wish you have also been able to provide for your school a fine building Sagar owes this largely to the munificence of her esteemed citizens the members of the Rattihalli family I take this opportunity to thank them on your behalf and also the other public spirited gentlemen who by handing over the vacant sites adjoining the school have rendered future expansion possible

I am happy to find that the Municipal Council have been zealous also in promoting the general welfare of the citizens A fine building has been constructed to serve the purposes of a Town Hall sanitation and town improvements have received

appropriate attention the system of lighting has been reorganised and placed on a more satisfactory basis and efforts have beer made to cultivate the æsthetic sense of the citizens by gradually beautifying the town Such achievements and such aims even more than achievements bespeak a mutuality of trust and response between the town and its Municipal Council and in this mutuality which is the very soul of civic service I read the promise of greater things to come And you will readily admit that creditable as your record of the past few year has been much yet remains to be done With towns as with individuals the stage of growth is a period of emerging and increasing wants and I should have been surprised if each step forward did not disclose to you the scope for further progress I therefore take your statement of requirements as an index of the keenness with which you have entered into the spirit of the work before you

While the developments mentioned by you are all desirable they are not all of equal urgency and some involve considerations of a complex nature and require examination from an administrative point of view It is not possible and you do not expect me I am sure to make a pronouncement on your representations here and now but believe me they will receive careful and sympathetic attention You may always count on my good wishes and my active and whole hearted co operation in all measures that you may undertake for the general welfare and happiness of the citizens I trust that the zeal and the enthusiasm which have inspired you will never be allowed to

flag and that you will persevere in the path of progress on which you have so resolutely ~~set your foot~~ started

I shall now proceed to perform the pleasant function of declaring this Town Hall open In doing so I fervently hope that this building will not only house the Municipal Offices but that it will be the centre from which you and the other leaders will by precept and example develop that civic consciousness which is the ~~very~~ life of all local self government

I thank you once again for your warm welcome and will gladly perform the pleasing duty imposed on me of conveying to His Highness our beloved Maharaja the sentiments of profound loyalty and gratitude so well expressed in your Address